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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

RESOLUTION.

*New Delhi, the 4th May, 1949*

**No. 37-(1)-T.B./48.**—The protection to the Calcium Chloride industry was due to expire on the 31st March, 1949. The Tariff Board was requested to examine the question of the continuance of protection to this industry.

2. The Board having considered the matter, has submitted its report. The recommendations of the Board are as follows:—

(i) The present protective duty of Rs. 4-14-0 per cwt. (Standard), Rs. 8-4-0 (U.K. Preferential) should be extended for a further period of one year i.e. up to 31st March, 1950.

(ii) In the interest of the industry Government should decide at an early date the question of granting the Pioneer Magnesite Works a long-term extension of the present "bitterns" lease which is due to expire in 1953;

(iii) Government should also provide necessary facilities for the transport of limestone, firewood and coal and allocate an adequate quota of steel sheets for packing drums and thereby assist the industry to step up its production.

3. As regards (i), the period has been extended upto the 31st March 1950 by the Protective Duties (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1949.

4. Government also accept in principle recommendations (ii) and (iii).

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ORDER.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Provincial Governments, all Chief Commissioners, Ministry of External Affairs (External Affairs Wing), Ministry of External Affairs (Commonwealth Relations Wing), and the several Ministries of the Government of India, Prime Minister's Secretariat, Cabinet Sectt., the Private and Military Secretaries to His Excellency the Governor General, the Central Board of Revenue, the Auditor General, the Director General of Employment and Resettlement, the Director General, Industry and Supply, the High Commissioners for India in London, Colombo, Ottawa, Karachi and Canberra, the Indian Ambassadors at Nanking, Moscow, Tehran, Kathmandu, Rangoon, Cairo, Kabul, Ankara, Washington, Prague, and Rio De Janeiro, Commissioner Gen. for Commercial & Economic Affairs in Europe, Paris Charge d' Affairs of India in Paris and Brussels,

Envoys Extraordinary and Ministers Plenipotentiary of India, Bangkok, and Berne; Consuls General for India in Batavia; Buenos Aires, Shanghai, Pondicherry, Saigon, Kashgir, New York, and San Francisco; The Deputy High Commissioner for India in Lahore, London and Dacca; The Secretary to the High Commissioner for India in the Union of South Africa, Johannesburg; Agents of the Government of India in Kandy and Kuala Lumpur; Consuls for India at Saigon, Goa, and Jedda; Vice Consuls for India at Medan and Zehedan; The Indian Political Officer, Sikkim; The Representative of the Government of India in Singapore; The Commissioners for the Government of India in Trinidad, Nairobi, Mauritius, and Fiji; Head of the Indian Liaison Mission, Tokyo; Head of the Military Mission, Berlin; Indian Government Trade Commissioners in Toronto, Sydney, Mombassa, Colombo, Paris and Karachi; Assistant Indian Government Trade Commissioner, Dacca; Commercial Adviser to the High Commissioner in U.K., London; Commercial Secretaries to the Indian Embassies at Alexandria, Rio De Janeiro, Rangoon, Tehran and Kabul; His Majesty's Senior Trade Commissioner in India; United States Embassy, New Delhi; The Canadian Trade Commissioner in India; The Australian Trade Commissioner in India; The Norwegian Consul General, Bombay; The High Commissioner for Pakistan in India, New Delhi; The Directorate of Industries of Saurashtra Union, Rajkot; the Union State of Matsya, Alwar; the United State of Vindhya Pradesh, Rewa; the United State of Rajasthan, Udaipur, Gwalior, Indore, Malwa Union, Gwalior; Patiala and East Punjab States Union, Patiala; Editor, Journal of Scientific and Industrial Research, P-Block, Raisina Road, New Delhi; Indian Consul of Agriculture Research; Indian Standard Institution, Delhi; Free India Service, Tamrind House, Tamrind Lane, Fort Bombay; The Economic Adviser to the Government of India; Economic Adviser to the Rajasthan Union; The Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta; The Secretary, Indian Tariff Board, Bombay; The Secretary, Industrial Finance Corporation of India, New Delhi; and All recognised Chambers of Commerce and Trade Associations.

ORDERED that a copy be communicated to the Government of Burma.

ORDERED also that it be published in the *Gazette of India*.

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*Joint Secretary.*